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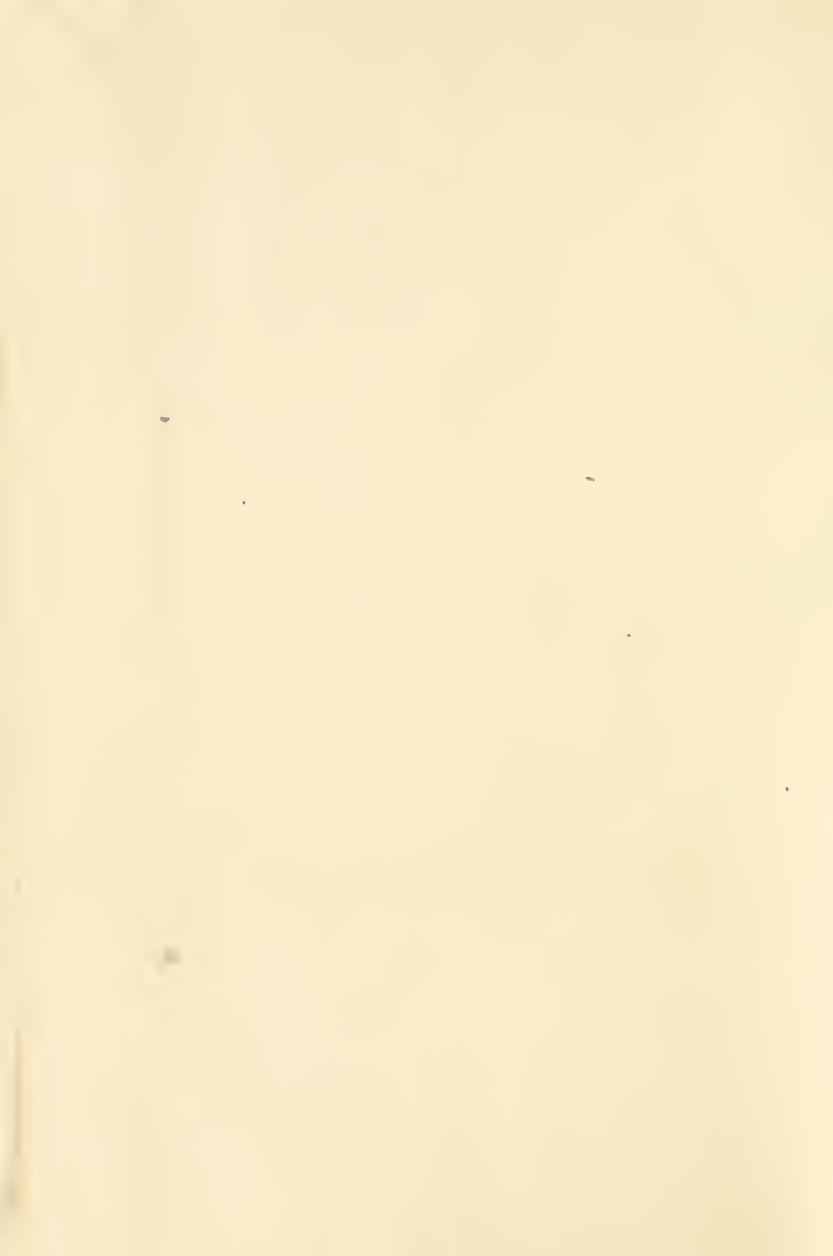
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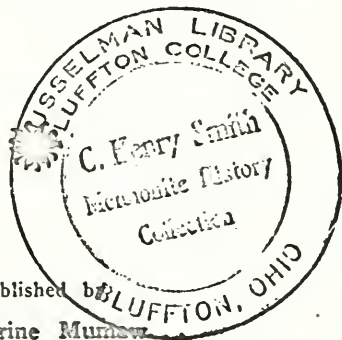
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Shaum Family History

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A short sketch of the ancestry of
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of his lineage.



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PREFACE

The object I have had in writing this little book was to get out something that would get us better acquainted in our family relations. A number of years ago I had my father relate to me all he could remember of his ancestors and I wrote them down as he gave them but his memory was failing already at that time and he could not give me some of the names that I wanted but through the assistance of his brothers, sisters and cousins I was able to gather what I have. After reading my little paper at our second re-union, the cousins and others desired to have it printed and by their encouragement I made an effort to get all the names of the descendants of my grandparents and have succeeded so far by the help of my cousins whom I wish to thank very heartily for the help they have given me towards this work. It would have been impossible to have gotten it complete without it.

May it be an inspiration to us as we look over the lives of our forefathers though it is only a faint glimpse of what they really were. May we profit thereby and have our lives moulded after the pattern of Jesus our elder brother who is our all in all. Again thanking you all for your help in this work, I am your humble cousin

Catharine Mumaw.

EXPLANATION

The reader will readily understand the arrangement of the text. The descendants are grouped according to the thirteen families of the second generation. This will aid you to locate the name of any particular one that you wish to look up.

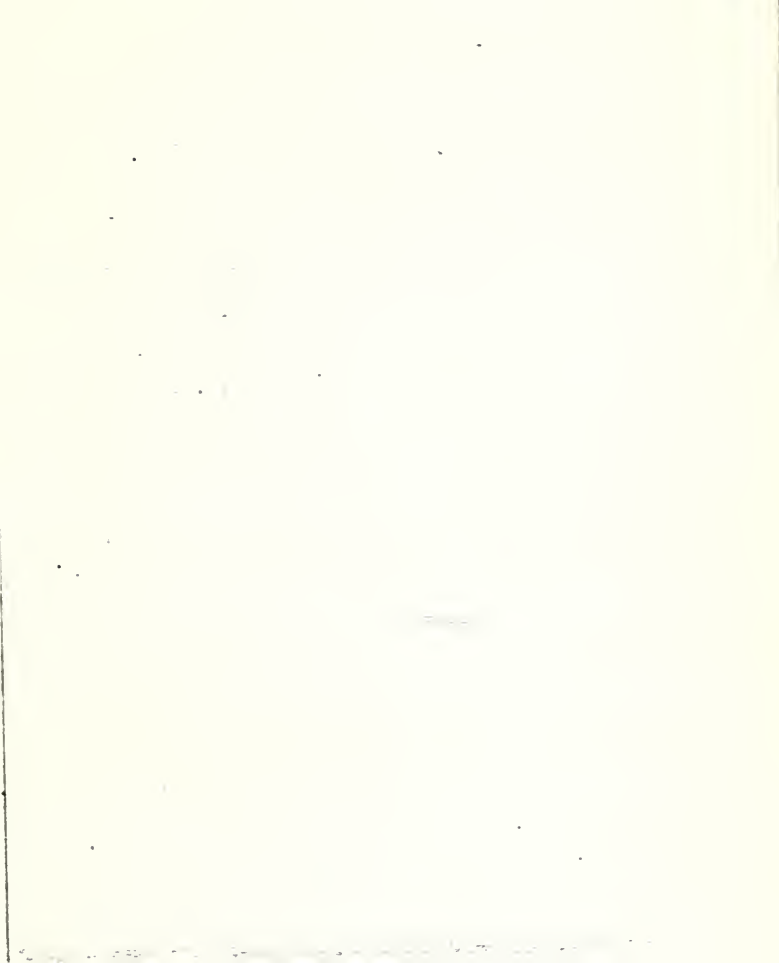
The figures represent the place each name occupies in the family. For example, "2. Fourth Generation, 3-1." on page 15 indicates—

1. Whatever follows under this head belongs to the second born of grandfather Shaum's family.
2. The figure 3. indicates that the description that follows pertains to the family of the third born of Amos Shaum's family.
3. The figure 1. shows that the text following is descriptive of the first born of Amos Mumaw's family.

The abbreviation "b." is used for born and "d." for died.

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THE SHAUM FAMILY

Johannas Shaum was born in Germany. He came to America when 16 years of age having been the only one known of his family who escaped the persecution of the churches perhaps between the years 1770 and 1780. On his arrival in this country he was sold to redeem his transportation. He was married to ——— Culp. One son was born to them named Henry who died single. His second wife's name was ——— Miller. Three sons and four daughters were born to them. He was noted for his kindness and was especially good to the poor and sick. He died in 1812 having taken the fever while visiting the sick. He is buried near Bangor, Pa. His son John was 15 years old at the time of his death. The names of the children and marriages are as follows:

Christian Shaum, married Nancy Buzzard.

John Shaum, married Sarah Buzzard.

Jacob Shaum, married ——— Godshall.

Nancy Shaum, married Jacob Gotshalk.

Elizabeth Shaum, married Martin Overholt.

Barbara Shaum, married Christian Berkey.

Catharine Shaum, died single.

Elizabeth had resided in Medina Co., Ohio, and Barbara in Wayne Co., Ohio.

First Generation

John Shaum was born in Northampton Co., Pa., Sept. 25, 1797. He was married to Sarah Buzzard Oct. 19, 1817. She was born Dec. 3, 1798, was the daughter of George and Rachel Buzzard. She had four brothers and eight sisters whose names and marriages were as follows: John, Jacob,

Michael and George, Molly married to Jacob Holdeman, Catharine married to John Holdeman, Christiana married to Christian Holdeman, Margaret married to Daniel Mar- cley, Susan married to John Berkey, Nancy married to Christian Shaum, Rachel married to Michael Delp and Barbara married to John Schmidt. Christiana lived in Chester Tp., Wayne Co., O. Susan lived in Holmes Co., O. Nancy lived in Pennsylvania. Margaret, Rachel and Barbara lived in Medina Co., O. John and Sarah Shaum lived in Northampton county, Pa., when he in company with two other men walked from their home to see the West. They came to Ohio, then north to Canada and back to his home walking a distance of 1000 miles, at which time he purchased the farm now known as the old Grandfather place near the eight square in Chester tp., Wayne Co., O. They moved there in 1830, in covered wagons requiring about four weeks to make the trip. They halted several times to wash and bake for the family. Two other families accompanied them as far as Mahoning county, Ohio. In 1839 the brick house was built which was the same as it now stands with a very few changes. He was ordained a minister in the Mennonite church in 1830. In later years was ordained to the office of Bishop. He was a man of quiet disposition, upright and sincere in his dealings with his fellow men. He was very much concerned for the welfare of the church under his care. He had some severe trials, even to the extent of losing his right mind for a time, but through the prayers of his fellow workers was again restored to his former state. At his death his descendants were 16 children (13 living), 96 grandchildren (76 living), 47 great grandchildren (43 living). Their children all united with the Mennonite Church except one who in later years united with the M. E. Church.

Grandfather (John) Shaum was born Sept. 25, 1797, died Dec. 8, 1882, aged 85 years, 2 mo., 13 days. Grandmother (Sarah) Shaum was born Dec. 3, 1798, died Sept. 6, 1878, aged 79 years, 5 mo., 3 days.

Sixteen children were born to them.

1. George Shaum, b. Sept. 17, 1818; d. March 22, 1892.
2. Amos Shaum, b. Nov. 21, 1819; d. Dec. 14, 1905.
3. Jacob Shaum, b. July 5, 1821; d. Aug. 22, 1898.
4. Manassa Shaum, b. Dec. 5, 1822; d. Oct. 17, 1844.
5. Adam Shaum, b. April 15, 1824; d. Oct. —, 1904.
6. Henry Shaum, b. Feb. 3, 1826; d. Oct. 3, 1892.
7. Christian Shaum, b. Aug. 30, 1828; d. Feb. 16, 1903.
8. John Shaum, b. Dec. 4, 1829; d. Oct. 7, 1913.
9. Rachel Shaum, b. March 24, 1831; d. May 6, 1889.
10. Mary Shaum, b. May 15, 1832; d. April 13, 1889.
11. Sarah Shaum, b. Feb. 3, 1834.
12. Samuel Shaum, b. March 29, 1835; d. Jan. 15, 1845.
13. Joseph Shaum, b. Jan. 7, 1837; d. April 26, 1910.
14. Infant, d. Feb. 4, 1839.
15. Rebecca Shaum, b. June 11, 1840.
16. Michael Shaum, b. Sept. 19, 1842.

GEORGE SHAUM FAMILY

1. Second Generation

George Shaum was married to Barbara Letherman June 4, 1840. She was born March 10, 1816 and died Dec. 17, 1889; aged 73 years, 9 mo., 7 days. He was a carpenter by trade and later purchased a farm three-fourth mile north of his father's homestead on which place he lived until his death. He was a deacon in the Mennonite Church. Died March 22, 1892, aged 73 years, 6 mo., 5 days.

Two children were born to them.

1. Elizabeth L. Shaum, b. June 8, 1841; d. June 17, 1904, single.
2. Samuel L. Shaum, b. May 6, 1846.

1. Third Generation 2.

Samuel L. Shaum was married to Rebecca Dintaman Feb. 17, 1872. In 1885 they moved to Jasper county, Mo., and in 1894 returned to Wayne Co., Ohio. His father George Shaum had also secured possession of the old grandfather homestead which later came into Samuel's possession. In 1909 he sold it and moved to Ithaca, Gratiot Co., Mich., where they now reside.

Elizabeth Shaum remained with her parents in their home until their death, and was later removed to her brother Samuel's home which was located on the old Grandfather farm where she remained until her death.

AMOS SHAUM FAMILY

2. Second Generation

Amos Shaum was married to Anna Sechrist (daughter of Jacob and Susannah Sechrist) Nov. 4, 1847. She was born July 2, 1825. To this union were born two children.

1. Susannah Shaum, b. June 24, 1849; d. Nov. 24, 1866.
2. Sarah Shaum, b. Aug. 26, 1851; d. Jan. 15, 1884.

Anna, wife of Amos Shaum, died Nov. 17, 1853. Amos Shaum was married to Mary Eicher (daughter of Daniel and Mary M. Eicher, nee Stuckschleger,) Aug. 12, 1855. She was born March 11, 1827. Amos was a blacksmith by trade. He served his apprenticeship at River Stix, Medina County, Ohio. He owned a 5 acre lot with a blacksmith shop and wagonmaker shop one-half mile west of his parents' home and lived there until the year 1864. In this year they moved to the mill property five miles west of Wooster which he had purchased some time previous. The next year he erected a new flour mill which required a whole year to build it. They moved to their farm in Dec. 1867 and rented the mill. They again moved to the mill in the spring of 1870 where they lived until Feb., 1876. At this time he moved on the farm with his aged parents as he had a special desire to take care of them in their old age. A small house was built for the parents near the brick building now standing on the farm. Grandmother died Sept. 6, 1878 after which Grandfather lived with the family until he died. The mill was destroyed by fire in August, 1881 which was a heavy financial loss. When the news was brought to him he remarked, "It only leaves me a poor man." He never recovered from this loss in a financial way and his statement was verified. After his father's death, he again moved on his own farm, three-fourth miles west of the old homestead. This was an 80 acre farm. He had sold the blacksmith property previously and afterwards sold the farm at which time he bought a lot taken off the corner of the farm at an earlier date. After spending several years at this place his age and

feebleness of mind rendered him unable to care for himself. His latter days were spent with his children with his companion by his side who so faithfully cared for his immediate wants. They lived with their daughter, Mrs. A. W. Brownson, Smithville, O. at the time of his death, Dec. 14, 1905; aged 86 years, 23 days; his wife also being called home just three weeks later, Jan. 3, 1906; aged 78 years, 10 mo. and 22 days. They were faithful member of the Mennonite Church. Their lives will ever be cherished by those who learned to know them. He was a leader in vocal music and led much of the song service in his home congregation during his years of activity.

Seven children were born to them.

3. Catharine Shaum, b. June 13, 1856.
4. John Shaum, b. Oct. 7, 1857.
5. Henry Shaum, b. Sept. 9, 1859.
6. Infant, d. Dec. 19, 1860.
7. Emma Shaum, b. July 17, 1862; d. Sept. 5, 1863.
8. Mary E. Shaum, b. June 23, 1866.
9. Magdalena Shaum, b. Aug. 6, 1868.

2. Third Generation. 2.

Sarah Shaum was married to Daniel Dintaman (born in Lancaster Co., Pa., March 19, 1850) March 19, 1871 and resided in Chester tp. Wayne Co., Ohio. She died Jan. 15, 1884. Six children were born to them.

1. Ida Ann Dintaman, b. Nov. 1, 1871.
2. Mary Ellen Dintaman, b. Dec. 5, 1873.
3. Emma Rebecca Dintaman, b. Feb. 27, 1876.
4. Magdalena May Dintaman, b. May 18, 1878.
5. Clara Catharine Dintaman, b. Nov. 4, 1880.
6. John Oliver Dintaman, b. July 19, 1883.

2. Fourth Generation. 2-2.

Mary E. Dintaman was married to Milton Holmes, Wooster, Ohio, Aug. 18, 1897. They have one child.

1. Miles M. Holmes, b. Oct. 18, 1911.

2. Fourth Generation. 2-3.

Emma R. Dintaman was married to John Jackson July 25, 1901, P. O. West Salem, O. They have three children.

1. Gladys L. Jackson, b. Sept. 18, 1903.
2. Walter D. Jackson, b. May 10, 1906.
3. Daniel True Jackson, b. June 29, 1907.

2. Fourth Generation. 2-4.

Magdalena May Dintaman was married to Henry Jontz, June 9, 1914. P. O. Wooster, O.

2. Fourth Generation. 2-5.

Clara C. Dintaman was married to William Firestone Sept. 28, 1904. P. O. West Salem, O. The following children were born to them.

1. Chester D. Firestone, b. March 3, 1906.
2. Mary M. Firestone, b. June 14, 1910.
3. Odela Catharine Firestone, b. Sept. 2, 1914.

2. Fourth Generation. 2-6.

John O. Dintaman was married to Gertrude Snyder June 14, 1910. P. O. Wooster, O. One daughter was born to them, Marjorie Kathlene Aug. 30, 1913.

They are all residents of Wayne Co., Ohio. After the death of the mother the family worked along as best they could with the help of friends and relatives. John being about six months old, aunt Lizzie Shaum (Michael's wife) took him to their home and cared for him until the sisters were old enough to take him. Ida is still keeping house for her father.

2. Third Generation 3.

Catharine Shaum was married to Amos Mumaw (born in Holmes county, Ohio June 27, 1852) Aug. 24, 1876, at the residence of her parents on the Grandfather Shaum homestead. They moved to Holmes Co., Ohio April 24, 1877

into a small house built for them in father Mumaw's yard. Four years later they moved to Chester tp., Wayne Co., Ohio on the Uncle George Shaum place. In the spring of 1882, they purchased a home in Allen Co., Ohio and lived there the two following years. They sold their home and moved to Elkhart Co., Ind., where they purchased a farm three and one-half miles S. W. of Wakarusa. In 1889 they sold their place and bought a farm three miles N. E. of Wakarusa. In 1898 they again sold out and moved to Wayne Co., Ohio. They purchased a farm 4 miles N. E. of Wooster and took possession of the place Feb. 15, 1899. Amos Mumaw died May 15, 1906 at the Ryal and Stoll Hospital, Wooster, Ohio. He was a member of the Mennonite Church and was ordained a Minister of the Gospel April 4, 1886 in which capacity he served the church as the Lord gave him grace until he was called up higher. The children are all members of the Mennonite Church.

Eleven children were born to them.

1. George S. Mumaw, b. Sept. 6, 1877 in Holmes Co., Ohio.
2. Levi Mumaw, b. Nov. 16, 1879 in Holmes Co., Ohio.
3. Amos B. Mumaw, b. Aug. 1, 1882 in Allen Co., Ohio.
4. Harry Mumaw, b. Aug. 30, 1884 in Elkhart Co., Ind.
5. Infant Son, d. March 1, 1887 in Elkhart Co., Ind.
6. Adam Henry Mumaw, b. July 11, 1888 in Elkhart Co., Ind.
7. Mary Catharine Mumaw, b. Oct. 15, 1890; d. Jan. 3, 1891.
8. Martha Ellen Mumaw, b. Dec. 23, 1891 in Elkhart Co., Ind.
9. Anna Naomi Mumaw, b. Dec. 22, 1894 in Elkhart Co., Ind.
10. Daniel W. Mumaw, b. May 15, 1900 in Wayne Co., Ohio.
11. John Rudy Mumaw, b. March ¹²~~10~~, 1904 in Wayne Co., Ohio.

2. Fourth Generation. 3-1.

Geo. S. Mumaw was married to Lucy E. Wilson of Lisbon, Columbiana Co., O., Sept. 14, 1907.

Five children were born to them.

1. Catharine Estlier Mumaw, b. June 16, 1908 in Orrville, Ohio.
2. Geo. Wilson Mumaw, b. June 14, 1909 in Orrville, Ohio.
3. Marion E. Mumaw, b. April 19, 1911 in Orrville, Ohio.
4. Dorotha A. Mumaw, stillborn Aug. 30, 1912.
5. Byron E. Mumaw, b. Jan. 7, 1914 in Columbiana Co., Ohio.

They resided in Orrville, Ohio until the spring of 1913 at which time they moved to Leetonia, Ohio, their present address.

2. Fourth Generation. 3-2.

Levi Mumaw was married to Fannie E. Shoemaker of Freeport, Ill., June 9, 1903. They located in Orrville, Ohio.

Two children were born to them.

Russell Joseph Mumaw, b. Sept. 8, 1905.

Infant daughter, b. March 23, 1908; d. March 24, 1908.

In 1909 they moved to Freeport, Ill., to regain Fannie's health which she had lost through an extended illness. In the fall of 1910 they moved to Scottdale, Penna., where he is now engaged in work at the Mennonite Publishing House.

2. Fourth Generation. 3-3.

Amos B. Mumaw was married to Emma Rohrer of Orrville, Ohio March 27, 1906. They began house-keeping in Orrville, Ohio. He worked at the carpenter trade until 1910 when they moved to the country with their family. They are engaged in farming and reside near Dalton, Ohio. P. O. Dalton, Ohio.

Their children were

1. Stanford R. Mumaw, b. April 3, 1907.
2. Homer Amos Mumaw, b. Jan. 13, 1909.
3. Ralph Wayne Mumaw, b. Sept. 17, 1911.
4. Infant dau., b. Jan. 29, 1915; d. Feb. 1, 1915.

2. Fourth Generation. 3-4.

Harry Mumaw was married to Minnie Hostetler of Weilersville, Ohio, Jan. 30, 1913. They reside on a farm near Orrville, Ohio. P. O. Orrville, O.

1. Gladys C. Mumaw, b. Dec. 26, 1913.

2. Third Generation. 4.

John Shaum was married to Mina Jane Reimal (born May 1, 1869) July 2, 1887. They have resided in Ashland Co., Ohio continually with the exception of a few years in which they lived at Lorain, Ohio. Farmer and teamster. P. O. Ashland, Ohio.

Nine children were born to them.

1. Charles Irvin Shaum, b. Nov. 16, 1887 in Ashland Co., O.
2. Henry Floyd Shaum, b. Jan. 10, 1890 in Ashland Co., O.
3. Harvey Daniel Shaum, b. Sept. 19, 1892 in Ashland Co., O.
4. Infant Son, b. Sept. 19, 1892; d. Sept. 19, 1892.
5. Walter Ray Shaum, b. Nov. 15, 1894; d. March 9, 1903.
6. Franklin Shaum, b. April 13, 1897; d. Dec. 29, 1900
7. Grant Shaum, b. Aug. 12, 1899 in Lorain Co., Ohio.
8. Vida Shaum, b. Sept. 4, 1901 in Ashland Co., Ohio.
9. Donald Ellsworth Shaum, b. May 8, 1909 in Ashland Co., O.

2. Fourth Generation. 4-1.

Charles Irvin Shaum was married to Julia Chronister Oct. 11, 1913 in Monrovia, Calif. Machinist.

2. Fourth Generation. 4-2.

Henry Floyd Shaum was married to Ethel May Stone Sept. 2, 1911. P. O. Ashland, Ohio. Farmer and teamster.

They are the parents of three children.

1. Howard Daniel Shaum, b. Feb. 9, 1912.
2. Warren Eugene Shaum, b. Apr. 24, 1913.
3. Pauline Pearle Shaum, b. Oct. 2, 1914.

2. Fourth Generation. 4-3.

Harvey Daniel Shaum was married to Alpha Retta Deveney Dec. 24, 1913. P. O. Ashland, O. Farmer.

1. Elenor Fay Shaum, b. Oct. 21, 1914.

2. Third Generation. 5.

Henry Shaum was married to Olive J. Lynn Dec. 7, 1897 near 8 square, Wayne county, Ohio. P. O. Sterling, Ohio. Members of the Mennonite Church. Eleven children were born to them.

1. William H. Shaum, b. March 23, 1899.
2. John F. Shaum, b. Aug. 18, 1900.
3. Clara E. Shaum, b. March 7, 1902.
4. Orlan A. Shaum, b. Sept. 29, 1903.
5. Mary Ellen Shaum, b. April 11, 1905.
6. Howard Leroy Shaum, b. Oct. 29, 1906.
7. Paul Edward Shaum, b. March 9, 1908.
8. Omar Raymond Shaum, b. June 9, 1909.
9. Bessie Gail Shaum, b. May 7, 1911.
10. Walter Ray Shaum, b. July 6, 1912.
11. Welker Jay Shaum, b. July 6, 1912; d. May 23, 1914.

2. Third Generation. 8.

Mary Ellen Shaum was married to Aaron W. Brownson (born May 14, 1867) in Chester tp., Wayne Co., Ohio Oct. 24, 1889.

Ten children were born to them.

1. John A. Brownson, b. Feb. 13, 1891.
2. Mary C. Brownson, b. Oct. 12, 1892.

3. Walter R. Brownson, b. Sept. 17, 1894.
4. Clara C. Brownson, b. March 27, 1896.
5. Ethel Gail Brownson, b. Feb. 26, 1898.
6. Leona E. Brownson, b. Feb. 25, 1900.
7. Mark F. Brownson, b. June 16, 1902.
8. Magdalene L. Brownson, b. Oct. 8, 1904.
9. Martha L. Brownson, b. July 9, 1906.
10. Myrtle Irene Brownson, b. Oct. 11, 1908.

They began house-keeping on Michael Shaum's place and resided in Wayne Co. until the spring of 1899 when they moved to Lorain Co., Ohio. In 1902 they returned to Wayne Co. in the vicinity of Smithville, O. They moved to Barberton, O., in Oct. 1911 where they reside at the present time. They are members of the U. B. Church.

2. Fourth Generation. 8-1.

John A. Brownson was married to Ruth E. Gray of Sterling, Ohio, Feb. 24, 1912. P. O. Barberton, O.

1. Edna Irene Brownson, b. May 3, 1913.
2. Mary Jane Brownson, b. Dec. 7, 1914.

2. Fourth Generation. 8-3.

Walter Brownson was married to Mary Ruth Randaugh of Wooster, O., May 8, 1915. P. O. Barberton, Ohio.

2. Third Generation. 9.

Magdalena Shaum was married to James P. Leaman in Chester tp., Wayne Co., Ohio, Dec. 3, 1893. P. O. West Salem, Ohio.

1. Henry Hatten Leaman, b. Dec. 14, 1894.
2. Paul Vernon Leaman, b. July 22, 1898.
3. Mary J. Leaman, b. April 18, 1900.
4. Huldah M. Leaman, b. Oct. 9, 1905.
5. Martha Marie Leaman, b. May 23, 1915.

They have resided continually in Wayne Co. and are at the present time located near Lattasburg, Ohio. Members of the Brethren Church.

JACOB SHAUM FAMILY

3. Second Generation.

Jacob Shaum: was married to Mary Troxel Oct. 28, 1847. She was born in Plain tp., Wayne Co., Ohio, July 11, 1828; died Jan. 31, 1905 in Elkhart Co., Ind. He learned the blacksmith trade at Riverstix, Ohio. In his early life he moved to Elkhart Co., Ind., and settled on a farm near the Olive church. The church ground being on the corner of his farm it was called the Shaum church for many years. He died on the old homestead. Twelve children were born to them.

1. Sarah Ann Shaum, b. August 20, 1848.
2. Peter John Shaum, b. Aug. 9, 1849; d. April 18, 1888.
3. Rebecca Catharine Shaum, b. Oct. 20, 1850.
4. Mary Magdalena Shaum, b. Dec. 6, 1852.
5. Aaron Franklin Shaum, b. March 7, 1854.
6. Silas Onan Shaum, b. Dec. 18, 1855; d. Aug. 16, 1864.
7. Lewis Jacob Shaum, b. Jan. 5, 1859; d. Oct. 8, 1859.
8. George William Shaum, b. Oct. 16, 1860; d. March 9, 1910.
9. Daniel Rodman Shaum, b. June 27, 1865.
10. Infant Dau. d. Jan. 25, 1867.
11. Infant Son, d. July 29, 1868.
12. Emma Arvilla Shaum, b. Aug. 25, 1869.

3. Third Generation. 2.

Peter John Shaum was married to Agnes Kinsey in Nebraska.

3. Third Generation. 3.

Rebecca C. Shaum was married to Urias Kreider, Oct.

28, 1875 in Elkhart Co., Ind. One son was born to them.

1. William Henry Kreider, b. May 1, 1877; d. June 9, 1877.

Urias Kreider died July 23, 1878. She was married to Absalom Rickert, Feb. 18, 1880. Three children were born to them. P. O. 1625 Cleveland Ave., Elkhart, Ind.

1. Maud M. Rickert, b. Aug. 7, 1882.
2. Walter Scott Rickert, b. May 30, 1884.
3. Oliver O. Rickert, b. Dec. 3, 1885.

3. Fourth Generation. 3-7,

Maud M. Rickert was married to Earle Thorn Sigerfoos, Nov. 26, 1904. To this union was born one daughter.

1. Isel Marietta Sigerfoos, b. Dec. 31, 1905.

Maude Rickert Sigerfoos was married to Clarence Tappan, Dec. 25, 1913. P. O. 701 12th St., Detroit, Mich.

3. Fourth Generation. 3-2.

Walter S. Rickert was married to Clara Rodewald June 15, 1910. P. O. Cleveland Ave., Elkhart, Ind.

3. Fourth Generation. 3-3.

Oliver O. Rickert was married to Susanna Lawson July 23, 1907. Three children have been born to them. P. O. Bountiful, Utah.

1. Dale L. Rickert, b. June 12, 1908.
2. Margaret C. Rickert, b. March 23, 1910.
3. Daughter, b. Aug. 2, 1914.

3. Third Generation. 4.

Mary Magdalene Shaum was married to Levi Paulus (b. July 8, 1852) Aug. 13, 1874. They reside in Elkhart Co., Ind. P. O. Elkhart, Ind.

1. Harriet Melissa Paulus, b. June 10, 1875.
2. Arthur Llewellyn Paulus, b. Oct. 20, 1877.

3. Nelson Victor Paulus, b. May 11, 1881; d. Dec. 9, 1896.
4. Ralph Leroy Paulus, b. Oct. 2, 1890.

3. Fourth Generation. 2.

Arthur L. Paulus was married to Della BeMiller (b. Aug. 27, 1881) Dec. 7, 1901. They reside in Elkhart Co., Ind. P. O. Elkhart, Ind. Five children have been born to them.

1. Gladys Louise Paulus, b. Dec. 11, 1902.
2. Albert Cecil Paulus, b. Aug. 10, 1905.
3. Margaret Delight Paulus, b. Dec. 25, 1906.
4. Victor Nelson Paulus, b. June 21, 1908.
5. Mary Millicent Paulus, b. Nov. 9, 1909.

3. Third Generation. 5.

Aaron F. Shaum was married to Mary Newcomer of St. Joseph Co., Ind., March 19, 1874. They reside in Michigan. Ten children were born to them.

1. Ada Cecilia Shaum, b. Nov. 8, 1874.
2. Clara Alice Shaum, b. April 10, 1876.
3. Sarah Catharine Shaum, b. Feb. 18, 1878.
4. Emma Arvilla Shaum, b. June 6, 1880.
5. Mabel May Shaum, b. Feb. 15, 1883.
6. Bertha Pearl Shaum, b. May 18, 1885.
7. Georgeanna Shaum, b. July 6, 1887.
8. Jacob Roy Shaum, b. Oct. 24, 1889.
9. Aaron Franklin Shaum, b. Jan. 10, 1892; d. Jan. 30, 1892.
10. Charles Nelson Shaum, b. Jan. 25, 1896.

3. Fourth Generation. 5-1.

Ada Shaum was married to D. S. Weldy Dec. 20, 1896 in Elkhart Co., Ind. They have since resided in Elkhart, Ind. Their children are—

1. Gladys Ruth Weldy, b. Nov. 15, 1898.
2. Clifford Emerson Weldy, b. May 23, 1904.

3. Fourth Generation. 5-2.

Clara A. Shaum was married to Charles C. Kline, July 17, 1897. They reside in Mich. P. O. Mendon, Mich. Their children are—

1. Ernest S. Kline, b. July 27, 1898; d. Sept. 22, 1898.
2. John S. Kline, b. July 30, 1899; d. Sept. 7, 1902.
3. Ada Marie Kline, b. June 27, 1901.
4. Marion Sylvester Kline, b. Oct. 14, 1904.
5. Mary Genevieve Kline, b. Oct. 11, 1904.

3. Fourth Generation. 5-3.

Sarah C. Shaum was married to Emil W. Gushe, Oct. 5, 1902. They reside in Mich. P. O. Fulton, Mich. Four children have been born to them.

1. Lowell E. Gushe, b. Aug. 20, 1903.
2. Myrtle Lorene Gushe, b. Jan. 14, 1905.
3. Russell Dale Gushe, b. Dec. 27, 1908; d. Jan. 14, 1909.
4. Opal Grace Gushe, b. May 20, 1911.

3. Fourth Generation. 5-5.

Mabel May Shaum was married to Arthur Schmeltz, Oct. 22, 1904. They reside in Elkhart Co., Ind. Their P. O. address is Wakarusa, Ind. Five children have been born to them.

1. Dorothea May Schmeltz, b. May 31, 1905.
2. Wilbur Arthur Schmeltz, b. Nov. 11, 1906.
3. Herbert Ansel Schmeltz, b. April 15, 1908.
4. Ray Elden Schmeltz, b. April 2, 1911.
5. Ruth Marie Schmeltz, b. Nov. 6, 1913.

3. Fourth Generation. 5-6.

Bertha Pearl Shaum was married to Orb Smith, July 17, 1907. P. O. Southbend, Ind. Two children have been born to them.

1. Florence Marie Smith, b. June 23, 1908.
2. Ethel Pearl Smith, b. May 18, 1909.

3. Fourth Generation. 5-7.

Georgeanna Shaum was married to Aden Betz, March 18, 1912. P. O. Climax, Mich. Two children have been born to them.

1. Daisy Betz, b. Feb. 16, 1913.
2. Charles Aaron Betz, b. March 1, 1914.

3. Third Generation. 8.

George William Shaum was married to Amanda Seitz, b. Aug. 2, 1861, Nov. 18, 1881. He died March 9, 1910. Their children are:

1. Clyde Cecil Shaum, b. Feb. 23, 1884; d. Oct. 28, 1908.
2. Lela Myrtle Shaum, b. March 26, 1887; d. July 21, 1904.
3. Zelotes Geoffrey Shaum, b. April 18, 1889.
4. Lola Mary Shaum, b. March 17, 1891; d. April 6, 1909.
5. Ralph Rodman Shaum, b. June 25, 1893.
6. Areta Fay Shaum, b. Dec. 9, 1896.

3. Fourth Generation. 8-3.

Zelotes Geoffrey Shaum was married to Helen Barber April 27, 1913.

3. Third Generation. 9.

Daniel R. Shaum was married to Rose Shaum, widow of Wm. Shaum deceased, March 8, 1902. They reside in Elkhart Co., Ind. P. O. Elkhart, Ind. One son has been born to them.

1. Nelson Shaum, b. Sept. 16, 1903.

3. Third Generation. 12.

Emma Arvilla Shaum was married to Nathan James, Jan. 28, 1896. They reside near Jimtown in Elkhart Co., Ind. P. O. Elkhart, Ind. Five children have been born to them.

1. Freddie R. James, b. — — 1896.
2. Royal T. James, b. — — 1897.
3. Mary E. James, b. — — 1901.
4. Zelma R. James, b. — — 1904.
5. Ruth E. James, b. — — 1909.

ADAM SHAUM FAMILY

5. Second Generation.

Adam Shaum was married to Catharine Mowry in 1850. They resided in Goshen, Ind. In his early days he learned the Miller trade. He served in the army during the Civil War. In his later years he united with the M. E. Church. He died at Goshen, Ind. After his death his widow moved to Michigan to live with her sister where she remained until death claimed her. One child was born to them but died in infancy.

HENRY SHAUM FAMILY

6. Second Generation.

Henry Shaum was married to Elizabeth Holdeman March 25, 1847 in Wayne Co., Ohio. He united with the Mennonite church in 1866. Was ordained to the ministry Dec. 23, 1871. Ordained as bishop in 1886. They settled in Elkhart Co., Ind. in their early life. Elizabeth, his wife, was born March 15, 1830; d. March 20, 1895, aged 65 years and 5 days. Twelve children were born to them.

1. Infant Son, b. June 10, 1848; d. June 13, 1848.
2. Nancy Ann Shaum, b. May 19, 1850; d. Sept. 10, 1907.
3. Sarah Ellen Shaum, b. Sept. 29, 1852; d. Aug. 12, 1868.
4. Emeline Shaum, b. March 16, 1856; d. Feb. 5, 1884.
5. Rebecca Jane Shaum, b. May 11, 1858; d. Feb. 14, 1891.
6. Isaiah Shaum, b. Feb. 12, 1860.
7. Amanda Shaum, b. July 22, 1862; d. June 28, 1914.
8. Harvey H. Shaum, b. Oct. 16, 1864; d. Aug. 15, 1896.
9. William Henry Shaum, b. Jan. 22, 1868; d. June 6, 1900.
10. Amos Shaum, b. Nov. 17, 1869.
11. Mary Alice Shaum, b. Oct. 12, 1872; d. Feb. 15, 1889.
12. Saloma Shaum, b. April 15, 1875.

6. Third Generation. 2.

Nancy Shaum was married to Charles S. Miller, Jan. 6, 1867 in Elkhart Co., Ind. They were both born in Wayne Co., Ohio.

1. Harrison Miller, b. Feb. 20, 1868.
 2. Ida Bell Miller, b. July 27, 1871.
- Nancy A. Miller died Sept. 10, 1907.

6. Fourth Generation. 2.-1.

Harrison Miller was married to Elizabeth Lehman Nov. 26, 1892 near Goshen, Ind. She was born in Livingston Co., Ill. July 8, 1870. They reside in Elkhart Co., Ind. P. O. Elkhart, Ind. Four children were born to them.

1. Florence Viola Miller, b. Feb. 17, 1894.
2. Louis Orville Miller, b. Jan. 27, 1896.
3. Marion Ivan Miller, b. March 29, 1901.
4. La Mar Harrison Miller, b. Jan. 4, 1906.

6. Fourth Generation. 2.-2.

Ida Bell Miller was married to Myron O. BeMiller, born Nov. 7, 1866, Sept. 26, 1888. Three children were born to them. Reside in Elkhart Co., Ind.

1. Maude BeMiller, b. June 17, 1891.
2. Ruth BeMiller, b. Feb. 24, 1895.
3. Mary Josephine BeMiller, b. Jan. 8, 1904; d. Aug. 22, 1905.

6. Fifth Generation. 2.-2.-1.

Maud BeMiller was married to Irvin Eby Dec. 31, 1913. He was born Oct. 9, 1892. Residents of Elkhart Co., Ind.

6. Third Generation. 4.

Emeline Shaum was married to Simon Hernley in 1877. Simon Hernley died Sept. 30, 1881. One child was born to them.

1. Warren C. Hernley, b. Aug. 23, 1879; d. Feb. 25, 1882.

Emeline Shaum Hernley was married to Noah Grabill March 25, 1883. She died Feb. 5, 1884. One child was born to this union.

2. Francis Grabill, b. Jan. 19, 1884.

6. Fourth Generation. 4.-2.

Francis Grabill was married to Fannie Troyer of near

Middlebury, Ind, Oct. 29, 1904. Two months later the wife was called home through an accident, Dec. 29, 1904. He was married to Elma Mishler of the same place March 8, 1908. Three children were born to them.

1. Delight Almira Grabill, b. Aug. 16, 1909.
2. Gladwin J. Grabill, b. May 8, 1911.
3. Gladys Amelia Grabill, b. Apr. 7, 1913.

6. Third Generation. 5.

Rebecca Jane Shaum was married to Alec L. Mishler July 19, 1874. Three sons were born to them. Two died in infancy. Their names were Walter and Nelson. Rebecca J. Mishler died Feb. 14, 1891.

3. Oliver Mishler, b. Nov. 23, 1878.

6. Fourth Generation. 5-3.

Oliver Mishler was married to Elizabeth Messner May 6, 1906 at Middlebury, Ind. P. O. Gary, Ind.

1. Jane Elizabeth Mishler, b. Aug. 9, 1910.

6. Third Generation. 6.

Isaiah Shaum was married to Mary A. James Nov. 4, 1881. They reside in Goshen, Ind., where he is employed as engineer in a flouring mill. Six children were born to them.

1. Edith Shaum, b. Aug. 15, 1882.
2. Sadie Shaum, b. Aug. 10, 1885.
3. Gertrude Shaum, b. March 10, 1888.
4. Edna Shaum, b. Sept. 21, 1891.
5. Goldie Shaum, b. March 10, 1894; d. April 13, 1894.
6. Norris Shaum, b. Feb. 21, 1895.

6. Fourth Generation. 6-1.

Edith Shaum was married to Roscoe Henderson. P. O. Osceola, Ind. Their children are:

1. Harriet Belle Henderson, b. Dec. 8, 1901.
2. Ramson Jay Henderson, b. July 27, 1903.

3. Mary Ellen Henderson, b. Sept. 4, 1905.
4. Kenneth Roscoe Henderson, b. April 29, 1908.
5. John Isaiah Henderson, b. Jan. 2, 1910.
6. William Howard Henderson, b. April 21, 1913.

6. Fourth Generation. 6.-2.

Sadie Shaum was married to Sydney Dewey June 19, 1909. P. O. Bristol, Ind. Their children are:

1. Ihrie Fern Dewey, b. Sept. 3, 1910.
2. Evelyn Gladys Dewey, b. Sept. 13, 1911.
3. Helen Gertrude Dewey, b. May 11, 1913.

6. Fourth Generation. 6.-3.

Gertrude Shaum was married to George Warren Howell Nov. 29, 1905. P. O. Goshen, Ind.

6. Fourth Generation. 6.-4.

Edna Shaum was married to Charles Grant March 24, 1910. P. O. Goshen, Ind.

1. Charles Jr. Grant, b. Feb. 16, 1911.
2. Margaret Elizabeth Grant, b. Aug. 28, 1913.

6. Third Generation. 7.

Amanda Shaum was married to Henry Long Dec. 22, 1888 in Elkhart Co., Ind. He died June 6, 1900. She was married to Sydna Lambert March 16, 1905. To this union was born one child.

1. Ruby Elnor Lambert, b. March 11, 1907; d. Dec. 10, 1912.

Amanda Lambert died June 28, 1914 near Greenville, Ohio.

6. Third Generation. 9.

William H. Shaum was married to Rose BeMiller Sept. 29, 1888. She was born July 20, 1868 in Elkhart Co., Ind. He died June 6, 1900.

1. Ernest Shaum, b. Nov. 17, 1890.
2. Grace Shaum, b. Aug. 18, 1895.
3. Elnora Shaum, b. April 4, 1900.

6. Third Generation. 10.

Amos Shaum was married to Mary C. Stauffer April 2, 1892. To this union were born three children.

1. Warren E. Shaum, b. April 20, 1893; d. March 19, 1896.
2. Oliver H. Shaum, b. Jan. 27, 1898.
3. Morris C. Shaum, b. March 18, 1904.

They remained with his parents until their death and are now residing near Dunlaps, Elkhart Co., Ind. P. O. Elkhart, Ind.

6. Third Generation. 12.

Saloma Shaum was married to William Moyer Jan. 16, 1892. P. O. Elkhart, Ind. Five children have been born to them.

1. Vernon L. Moyer, b. Oct. 31, 1893.
2. Merl R. Moyer, b. July 4, 1896.
3. Ruby E. Moyer, b. Feb. 26, 1900.
4. Carle E. Moyer, b. June 14, 1906.
5. Glen A. Moyer, b. April 3, 1910.

CHRISTIAN SHAUM FAMILY

7. Second Generation.

Christian Shaum was married to Susannah Weldy April 20, 1854. She was born Oct. 25, 1833; died Feb. 4, 1901. He left his parental home in 1849 in company with his aunt Christina Holdeman and family. They went West and located in Elkhart Co., Ind., where he stayed several years teaching school during the winter months and working as a farm hand during the summer. In 1852 he returned to his father's home and worked for them one year after which in company with his sister Sarah, he again went West and purchased a home in St. Joseph Co., Ind. He taught another term of school. The next spring he was married and they lived on the farm thirteen years. In 1867 he purchased a farm in Baugo tp., Elkhart Co., Ind., near Jimtown, where they lived twenty four years. In 1889 they moved to Wakarusa, Ind., where they spent the remainder of their days. He was called to the Ministry of the Gospel May 23, 1881 and also to the office of bishop May 21, 1882. These responsible positions he filled faithfully until his death. He was laid to rest by the side of his faithful companion in the old family cemetery at Olive. Aged 74 yrs., 5 mo., 16 days. Their home was blessed with six children.

1. Anna Shaum, b. Nov. 2, 1860.
2. Enos Shaum, b. J— 26, 1862; d. March 14, 1863.
3. Infant daughter, b. Feb. 11, 1863; d. Feb. 13, 1863.
4. Emma Shaum, b. Sept. 24, 1864.
5. Mary Ellen Shaum, b. Oct. 20, 1868.
6. Martha Elizabeth Shaum, b. July 28, 1871; d. May 21, 1896.

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7. Third Generation. 4.

Emma Shaum was married to Wm. A. Hoover August 27, 1889 at Jimtown, Ind. Their children are

1. Warren D. Hoover, b. June 5, 1890.
2. Martha Edna Hoover, b. Sept. 4, 1892.
3. Lewis R. Hoover, b. May 4, 1895.
4. John Maynard Hoover, b. July 16, 1900.
5. Wm. Paul Hoover, b. Nov. 20, 1904.
6. Geo. Edward Hoover, b. July 26, 1906.

They reside five miles west of Goshen, Ind.

7. Third Generation. 5.

Mary Ellen Shaum was married to Dr. Enos Hoover August 24, 1893. They reside in Elkhart, Ind.

JOHN SHAUM FAMILY

8. Second Generation.

John Shaum was married to Elizabeth Smeltzer Sept. 16, 1852. She was born in Ashland Co., Ohio Oct. 12, 1833. He was a tailor by trade. In early married life they moved on a farm near Wakarusa, Ind., which they had purchased. They reared their family on this place. Twelve children were born to them.

1. Caroline Shaum, b. April 21, 1853.
2. Albert Shaum, b. Nov. 14, 1854.
3. Emmaline Shaum, b. Aug. 12, 1856; d. July 22, 1867.
4. Susannah Shaum, b. March 16, 1858.
5. Sarah Jane Shaum, b. March 26, 1860.
6. Leander Shaum, b. Jan. 1, 1862.
7. Salome Shaum, b. Nov. 25, 1863; d. Sept. 13, 1894.
8. Amos Shaum, b. Oct. 22, 1865.
9. John Franklin Shaum, b. Jan. 12, 1868; d. Nov. 28, 1891.
10. Samuel Shaum, b. Dec. 28, 1869.
11. William Henry Shaum, b. Feb. 9, 1873.
12. Harriet Shaum, b. Feb. 8, 1875; d. Feb. 22, 1875.

8. Third Generation 1.

Caroline Shaum was married to Isaac Ritzman Aug. 26, 1877.

1. Dora Ritzman, b. July 27, 1878.

Isaac Ritzman died Nov. —, 1879. Caroline Ritzman was married to Marion W. Young April 21, 1881.

2. Laura Etta Young, b. Feb. 12, 1882; d. Oct. 15, 1885.
3. Rosa May Young, b. July 2, 1884.

4. Bertha Belle Young, b. Nov. 6, 1886.

5. Ray Arthur Young, b. April 22, 1890.

Marion W. Young died May 31, 1909. They resided near New Paris, Ind.

8. Fourth Generation. 1.-1.

Dora Ritzman was married to Albert Werner Dec. 25, 1896. One son was born to them.

1. Clyde Werner, b. Nov. 28, 1897.

Albert Werner died Jan. 26, 1898. She was married to William E. Miller Jan. 1, 1900. P. O. New Paris, Ind. Their children were:

2. Ethel Romane Miller, b. Oct. 2, 1900.

3. Elden Sylvester Miller, b. June 21, 1903.

4. Jay Byron Miller, b. Dec. 29, 1906.

5. Hazel Irene Miller, b. Feb. 5, 1911; d. May 8, 1911.

6. Ray Edward Miller, b. May 5, 1912.

8. Fourth Generation. 1.-3.

Rosa May Young was married to Charles Stouter Jan. 6, 1904 in Elkhart Co., Ind.

8. Fourth Generation. 1.-4.

Bertha B. Young was married to Calvin Werner Dec. 31, 1903. They reside in Wakarusa, Ind.

1. Harvey Werner, b. March 24, 1907.

2. Beulah May Werner, b. June 17, 1909.

8. Fourth Generation. 1.-5.

Ray Arthur Young was married to Florence Pollard June 5, 1912. A daughter was born to them June 12, 1913. They reside in Chicago, Ill.

8. Third Generation. 2.

Albert Shaum was married to Mary E. Pletcher June 24, 1888. Reside in Wakarusa, Ind. Six children were born to them.

1. Louis Arlonzo Shaum, b. April 27, 1889.
2. Sarah Maggie Shaum, b. Oct. 31, 1891.
3. John Albert Shaum, b. Dec. 3, 1893.
4. Mary Ruth Shaum, b. March 15, 1897.
5. Rachel Lovina Shaum, b. Oct. 5, 1899; d. May 5, 1901.
6. Hugh William Shaum, b. Jan. 25, 1904; d. Jan. 24, 1906.

8. Fourth Generation. 2-3.

Sarah M. Shaum was married to Herman Yunker Oct. 29, 1909. Reside in Elkhart, Ind.

1. Alva Lucela Yunker, b. July 15, 1910.

8. Third Generation. 4.

Susannah Shaum was married to David Nusbaum Feb. 10, 1881. Eleven children were born to them.

1. Saloma Viola Nusbaum, b. Dec. 17, 1881.
2. Oliver Calvin Nusbaum, b. Nov. 27, 1883.
3. Laura Ellen Nusbaum, b. April 10, 1885.
4. Edward Lawrence Nusbaum, b. Dec. 4, 1886.
5. Lulu May Nusbaum, b. Aug. 24, 1888.
6. Daniel Victor Nusbaum, b. Feb. 15, 1890.
7. John W. Nusbaum, b. Dec. 21, 1891.
8. Lucretia Belle Nusbaum, b. Sept. 13, 1893.
9. Elmer Ray Nusbaum, b. July 27, 1895.
10. Bertha Anna Nusbaum, b. Sept. 26, 1897.
11. Eva E. Nusbaum, b. Feb. 5, 1900; d. Feb. 13, 1900.

David Nusbaum died June 5, 1899 in Kent Co., Mich. The family again returned to Elkhart Co., Ind.

8. Fourth Generation. 4-1.

Saloma V. Nusbaum was married to Clemence Neterer Jan. 7, 1904. P. O. Goshen, Ind. One son has been born to them.

1. Ralph Eldon Neterer, b. Oct. 24, 1913.

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8. Fourth Generation. 4-2.

Oliver C. Nusbaum was married to Ida May Ebersole Feb. 9, 1907. P. O. Wakarusa, Ind. R. R. Their children are,

1. Theodore Nusbaum, b. July 8, 1907.
2. Kenneth Richard Nusbaum, b. Nov. 12, 1913.

8. Fourth Generation. 4-3.

Laura Ellen Nusbaum was married to Ralph Waldo Miller June 21, 1905. Reside in Oak Park, Ill.

1. Norman Russel Miller, b. July 28, 1906.
2. Harriet Evelin Miller, b. Aug. 8, 1912.

8. Fourth Generation. 4-4.

Edward L. Nusbaum was married to Lizzie Pletcher Aug. 10, 1914.

8. Fourth Generation. 4-5.

Lulu Nusbaum was married to Fred Bender Jan. 10, 1914.

1. Eloise Bender, b. Oct. 9, 1914.

8. Fourth Generation. 4-6.

Daniel V. Nusbaum was married to Mable Gorsuch May 18, 1911. P. O. Goshen, Ind. R. R.

1. Mable Lucile Nusbaum, b. Jan. 26, 1912.
2. David Daniel Nusbaum, b. Apr. 6, 1914.

8. Fourth Generation. 4-8.

Lucretia Belle Nusbaum was married to Thad. B. Wilden Dec. 29, 1913.

1. Abraham Forry Wilden, b. Dec. 4, 1914.
P. O. Goshen, Ind.

8. Third Generation. 5.

Sarah Jane Shaum was married to Daniel F. Otto July 18, 1888. One child was born to them.

1. Bessie Bernice Otto, b. Jan. 11, 1893.

Daniel F. Otto died Aug. 25, 1906. She was married to Charles Miller May 18, 1910.

8. Third Generation. 6.

Leander Shaum was married to Catharine Holdeman Nov. 15, 1885. Six children were born to them.

1. Charles Vernon Shaum, b. July 2, 1887; d. Feb. 7, 1891.
2. Rufus Shaum, b. July 6, 1889; d. Feb. 21, 1890.
3. Warren Clifford Shaum, b. Aug. 7, 1891.
4. Grace May Shaum, b. April 24, 1894.
5. Ralph Ray Shaum, b. Oct. 4, 1900.
6. Laura Ellen Shaum, b. Feb. 8, 1905.

8. Third Generation. 7.

Saloma Shaum was married to Joseph Miller Nov. 29, 1885. Their children were:

1. Calvin Miller, b. Sept. 12, 1886; d. Jan. —, 1887.
 2. Lawrence Miller, b. Jan. 1, 1888.
 3. Lulu Miller, b. March 2, 1892.
- Saloma Miller died Sept. 13, 1894.

8. Third Generation. 8.

Amos Shaum was married to Daisy Fay of Bryan, O., Oct. 28, 1908. He became a deaf mute when about two years old. His wife is also a mute. Their children are:

1. David J. Shaum, b. March 12, 1910.
2. Dawson Amos Shaum, b. May 14, 1912.

8. Third Generation. 11.

William H. Shaum was married to Cora Hartman Jan. 5, 1899. They reside in Elkhart Co., Ind. P. O. Nappanee, Ind.

1. Beulah Belle Shaum, b. Aug. 29, 1899.
2. Roy Eldon Shaum, b. Jan. 28, 1903.
3. Frank Hillis Shaum, b. June 19, 1905.
4. Treva Cleo Shaum, b. Nov. 10, 1907.

ISAAC LETHERMAN FAMILY

9. Second Generation.

Rachel Shaum was married to Isaac Letherman Oct. 26, 1848. He was born in Bucks Co., Pa., Oct. 21, 1827. He spent his boyhood days on the banks of the Strausburger Mill race. At the age of twelve his father and family immigrated by wagons to Wayne Co., Ohio, where he grew to manhood. In the spring of 1853 the young couple immigrated to Elkhart Co., Ind., two miles S. W. of Wakarusa known now as the old Letherman homestead. Fourteen children were born to them.

1. Sarah Ann Letherman, b. May 6, 1850.
2. Esther Letherman, b. May 26, 1851.
3. Benjamin Franklin Letherman, b. Feb. 15, 1853.
4. Joseph Letherman, b. March 10, 1854; d. Aug. 14, 1855.
5. Enos Letherman, b. Sept. 19, 1855; d. Oct. 1, 1856.
6. Samantha Letherman, b. Dec. 3, 1857; d. May 24, 1910.
7. Anise Letherman, b. Jan. 26, 1859.
8. Henry M. Letherman, b. Dec. 8, 1861.
9. Irvin John Letherman, b. Sept. 9, 1863.
10. Maggie M. Letherman, b. June 4, 1865.
11. Wm. Harvey Letherman, b. Dec. 8, 1866.
12. Lewis Linfred Letherman, b. July 31, 1869.
13. Reuben Owen Letherman, b. March 26, 1872; d. 1872, aged 2 mo.
14. Dora Ellen Letherman, b. Dec. 21, 1873.

The mother, Rachel Shaum, died May 6, 1889. He was again married in 1890 to Susannah Link Bachert. Two years later they moved to Wakarusa, Ind. He died Nov. 18, 1910 aged 83 years, 27 days. They were members of the Mennonite Church.

9. Third Generation. 1.

Sarah A. Letherman was married to Benj. Lutz, Jan. 15, 1871. Three children were born to them:

1. Cora Y. Lutz, b. Jan. 21, 1872; d. Nov. 3, 1872.
 2. Estella May Lutz, b. April 20, 1874.
 3. Cloyd H. Lutz, b. June 1, 1884.
- Benj. Lutz died Dec. 3, 1908.

9. Fourth Generation. 1.-2.

Estella M. Lutz was married to Grant Searer Jan. 12, 1894. Their children are:

1. Florence Searer, b. Oct. —, 1894.
2. Lola Searer, b. Sept. 19, 1899.
3. Ulysses Searer, b. Feb. 3, 1902.
4. Theodore Searer, b. Aug. 17, 1904.
5. Mildred Marie Searer, b. Oct. 20, 1913.

9. Fourth Generation. 1.-3.

Cloyd H. Lutz was married to Iva Korns Aug. 3, 1910.

1. Roina Rose Lutz, b. Apr. 21, 1911; d. May 20, 1911.
2. Paul Ivan Lutz, b. Sept. 9, 1914.

9. Third Generation. 2.

Esther Letherman was married to Joseph Longenecker Jan. 10, 1867. He was born in Holmes Co., Ohio and immigrated to Indiana in Oct. 1866. Soon after their marriage they moved on a farm 2 miles S. W. of her parents' home. After seven years they moved to the old Longenecker homestead in Ohio. Four years later they returned to Indiana and later moved to Marion Co., Kansas. In 1903 they moved to Johnson Co., Kans., and in recent years have lived in De Sota Co., Fla., seeking a milder climate. Their children are:

1. Clara Augusta Longenecker, b. Feb. 6, 1869.
2. Nora Mabel Longenecker, b. Jan. 30, 1875.
3. Vern O. Longenecker, b. Sept. 2, 1881.

9. Fourth Generation. 2-1.

Clara Augusta Longenecker was married to Nicholas B. Yoder of Wakarusa, Ind. May 25, 1892. Residence Wakarusa, Ind.

1. Wave Yoder, b. Nov. 2, 1893; d. Aug. 5, 1895.
2. Myrle Yoder, b. May 8, 1895.
3. Worth W. Yoder, b. April 7, 1899.
4. Hattie E. Yoder, b. Feb. 23, 1903.
5. Fern A. Yoder, b. Jan. 16, 1905; d. Sept. 13, 1906.

9. Fourth Generation. 2-2.

Nora Mable Longenecker was married to Guy H. Winn June 1, 1898. Residence Wichita, Kans.

9. Fourth Generation. 2-3.

Vern O. Longenecker was married to Belle McDaniels Sept. 2, 1904. Residence Spring Hill, Johnson Co., Kans.

1. Kenneth Adelbert Longenecker, b. Jan. 4, 1906.
2. Amanda Esther Longenecker, b. June 27, 1908.
3. Hazen Belle Longenecker, b. July 27, 1910.

9. Third Generation. 3.

Benj. F. Letherman was married to Hettie Ann Lehman, dau. of Benj. Lehman a pioneer who lived two miles north of Wakarusa, Ind., — —, 1874. Benj. was born in Wayne Co., Ohio Feb. 15, 1853. The same year his parents moved to Wakarusa, Ind., where "Frank" as he was called, grew up in that new timber country. With the exception of a short winter term of school, his time was spent clearing the ground for the plow, farming, cutting timber, hauling logs and in turn hauling a great quantity of sawed material to the large wagon works in South Bend, Ind. Time was found to enjoy the common sports such as sleighing parties, spelling schools, etc. He with his wife started housekeeping in a log house just east of the John Weldy farm. Three years after he bought a farm in Marshall Co., Ind., near Teegarden where the family of six

children was raised. In 1895 they moved to Mayville N. Dak. on a 640 acre ranch which was sold in 1912 and Frank and wife are now living in Wakarusa, Ind. Their children are:

1. Anise Valeria Letherman, b. March 7, 1875.
2. Geo. Monroe Letherman, b. Sept. 23, 1877.
3. Edith Uphema Letherman, b. Feb. 2, 1880.
4. Clara Rachel Letherman, b. Mar. 2, 1882.
5. Elmer L. Letherman, b. Aug. 2, 1885.
6. Vernon James Letherman, b. Mar. 21, 1888.

9. Fourth Generation. 3-1.

Anise Valeria Letherman was married to Chas. C. Bute Jan. 1, 1897. Farmers. Mennonites. Live near Jackson, Minn. Their children are:

1. James Loverne Bute, b. Dec. 6, 1897.
2. Iva Christena Bute, b. Mar. 16, 1899.
3. Charles Elmer Bute, b. Nov. 9, 1900.
4. Grace Esther Bute, b. Oct. 3, 1902.
5. Julia Belle Bute, b. Sept. 10, 1904.
6. Daisy Gertrude Bute, b. Dec. 23, 1906.
7. Bertha Valeria Bute, b. April 28, 1908.
8. George Edward Bute, b. June 5, 1911.

9. Fourth Generation. 3-2.

Geo. Monroe Letherman was married to Minnie L. Ebersole Jan. 6, 1903. Methodists. Grain and Seed business, Canton, Ohio.

9. Fourth Generation. 3-3.

Edith Uphema Letherman was married to Arthur Stow, an Attorney, in 1904. Live at Laurel, Mont. Christians. Their children are Josephine Esther, Marie, Alfred, Harold, Louisa Valeria.

9. Fourth Generation. 3-4.

Clara Rachel Letherman, Methodist, was married to H. O. Johnson, Insurance Agent, Feb. 22, 1903. Live in Kokomo, Ind. Children—Florence, John, Dorothy.

9. Fourth Generation. 3-5.

Elmer L. Letherman was married to Atletta Homestead Mar. 16, 1906. Lutheran. Machinist. They live at Canton, Ohio. Children—Myrtle Eldora, Roy Linfred, Doris Vernette.

9. Fourth Generation. 3-6.

Vernon James Letherman was married to Annie Homestead, Lutheran, Mar. 30, 1911. Machinist. Lives at Canton, Ohio.

9. Third Generation. 6.

Samantha Letherman was married to J. J. Hostetler April 22, 1894 and died May 24, 1910 in Wakarusa, Ind.

9. Third Generation. 7.

Anise Letherman was married to William H. Eicher, Feb. 25, 1877 near Wakarusa, Ind. They lived on the Eicher homestead until 1912 at which time they purchased her father's property in Wakarusa and moved there. Four children were born to them:

1. Nina Mandilla Eicher, b. Oct. 30, 1879.
2. Floyd Irvin Eicher, b. July 20, 1885.
3. Olen Eugene Eicher, b. Nov. 8, 1888.
4. Orva Irene Eicher, b. Nov. 8, 1888.

9. Fourth Generation. 7-1.

Nina M. Eicher was married to James Dorn, Feb. 25, 1913 in Fresno, Calif.

9. Third Generation. 8.

Henry Letherman was married to Minerva Ehret Mar. 29, 1884 near Wakarusa, Ind. Their children are:

1. Grace Alnetta Letherman, b. Feb. 1, 1885.
2. Nelson Linford Letherman, b. Mar. 29, 1888.
3. Elsie Mary Letherman, b. Feb. 5, 1890.
4. Josephine Letherman, b. Jan. 9, 1892; d. May 10, 1895.

5. Ethel Anise Letherman, b. Sept. 11, 1894.
6. Ruby Eureth Letherman, b. Feb. 10, 1896.
7. Hazel Vianna Letherman, b. Mar. 22, 1898.

The mother died Feb. 9, 1901. Henry was married to Anna Lehman June 1, 1905. Reside near Wakarusa, Ind.

9. Fourth Generation. 8-1.

Grace A. Letherman was married to Joseph B. Fisher July 31, 1905. Four children were born to them.

1. Keith Alton Fisher, b. Dec. 28, 1906; d. June 28, 1910.
2. Donald Edison Fisher, b. Nov. —, 1907.
3. Viola Minerva Fisher, b. Feb. 22, 1911.
4. Ruby May Fisher, b. May 13, 1913.

9. Fourth Generation. 8-2.

Nelson Linford Letherman was married to Jennie Messner of Middlebury, Ind. Sept. 20, 1913.

9. Fourth Generation. 8-3.

Elsie M. Letherman was married to George Fisher Feb. 22, 1907. Two sons were born to them:

1. Kenneth Eugene Fisher, b. Nov. 11, 1907.
2. Carle Fisher, b. Nov. 1, 1909.

9. Third Generation. 9.

Irvin John Letherman was married to Ida May Mitchell May 5, 1889 at Lanton, Mich. They went to house-keeping on the Letherman homestead. They moved to Wakarusa, Ind. in the fall of 1890. In 1896 he was licensed to preach by the Methodist church and in 1907 was ordained to the Ministry. He has served his church at Winfield, Kans.; Evanston, Ill.; Oneida, Ill.; Illinois City, Ill.; and Roanoke, Ill., where he is located at the present time. Their children are:

1. Mable Rachel Letherman, b. Feb. 25, 1892 at Wakarusa, Ind.

2. Eureth Marie Letherman, b. Dec. 10, 1898 at Winfield, Kans.

9. Third Generation. 10.

Maggie M. Letherman was married to Henry Defrees April 4, 1889. He was born in Lock tp., Elkhart Co., Ind. Sept. 27, 1861.

1. Forrest Glen Defrees, b. Nov. 20, 1890.

They went to housekeeping in Millwood, Ind., he being a physician. After two years they moved to Nappanee, Ind., where they now reside.

9. Fourth Generation. 10.-1.

Forrest Glen Defrees was married to Mary Agnes Gore Dec. 23, 1909. She was born Oct. 2, 1891 at Wakarusa, Ind. Their children are:

1. Henry Elsworth Defrees, b. May 21, 1911.
2. Victoria Defrees, b. Nov. 1, 1913.

9. Third Generation. 11.

Wm. Harvey Letherman was married to Alice Ehret Sept. 26, 1886 in Elkhart Co., Ind. Ten children were born to them. Reside at Wakarusa, Ind.

1. Maud Leotha Letherman, b. Nov. 26, 1887.
2. Walter Isaac Letherman, b. March 18, 1889.
3. Iva Ethel Letherman, b. Nov. 4, 1890.
4. Roscoe Jacob Letherman, b. Oct. 19, 1892.
5. Harry Ray Letherman, b. July 22, 1896.
6. Vera Ellen Letherman, b. Oct. 8, 1898.
7. Marie Opal Letherman, b. April 9, 1901.
8. Glen E. Letherman, b. Oct. 24, 1905.
9. Ward Arthur Letherman, b. Aug. 7, 1909.
10. Neva May Letherman, b. Mar. 8, 1914.

9. Fourth Generation. 11.-1.

Maud L. Letherman was married to Loren Truex. Feb. 3, 1906.

9. Fourth Generation. 11.-2.

Walter I. Letherman was married to Rosetta Hunsberger April 12, 1910.

1. Irene May Letherman, b. Aug. 22, 1911.

9. Fourth Generation. 11.-3.

Iva Ethel Letherman was married to Charles Eshleman Nov. 25, 1914.

9. Third Generation. 12.

Lewis Letherman was married to Mary A. Moore, Dec. 24, 1898. They reside in Wakarusa, Ind. Their children were:

1. Linfred M. Letherman, b. April 3, 1900.
2. Carrol Letherman, b. Nov. 29, 1903.
3. Garford T. Letherman, b. May 19, 1905; d. Feb. 28, 1908.

9. Third Generation. 14.

Dora Letherman was married to Frank W. Brown Aug. 12, 1894. He being a graduate from the Law Department of the University of Michigan, they located in Wakarusa, Ind., where he took up the work of his profession. They moved to Fresno, Calif. Oct. 15, 1910. He is now engaged in the Law and Real Estate business. Address, 345 San Pablo Ave., Fresno, Calif.

1. Vance M. Brown, b. Aug. 12, 1900.
2. Donald B. Brown, b. July 16, 1904.
3. Anitabell Brown, b. Sept. 1, 1910.

JOHN YODER FAMILY

10. Second Generation.

Mary Shaum was married to John H. Yoder Dec. 13, 1849. He was born in Columbiana Co., Ohio Sept. 6, 1828. They moved to Elkhart Co., Ind. soon after their marriage. They located 5 miles S. W. of Elkhart, where they reared their family. Later they moved west of the Olive Church where the mother died suddenly of apoplexy. Some time later the father moved to Wakarusa, Ind. He lived here the remaining days of his life. His niece kept house for him. He died Sept. 10, 1902. Their children are as follows:

1. Elmyra Yoder, b. Dec. 2, 1850; d. March 10, 1864.
2. Mary Elizabeth Yoder, b. April 19, 1852; d. Aug. 27, 1893.
3. Isaiah Yoder, b. Jan. 9, 1854; d. April 13, 1857.
4. Sarah Yoder, b. April 24, 1855.
5. Samuel Yoder, b. July 30, 1856; d. Jan. 3, 1857.
6. Samantha Yoder, b. March 31, 1858; d. Sept. 10, 1883.
7. John Yoder, b. April 18, 1860; d. Feb. 26, 1864.
8. Abbie Yoder, b. Oct. 17, 1861; d. Sept. 9, 1862.
9. William H. Yoder, b. Feb. 13, 1863; d. March 4, 1864.
10. Margaret Salome Yoder, b. June 6, 1864.
11. Nancy Ann Yoder, b. Oct. 22, 1865; d. May 10, 1899.
12. Infant Son, b. Oct. 3, 1867; d. same date.
13. Adam Yoder, b. Nov. 2, 1868.
14. Infant Son, b. Aug. 2, 1874; d. same date.

10. Third Generation. 2.

Mary Elizabeth Yoder was married to Isaac Christophel Feb. 12, 1878 in Elkhart Co., Ind. Isaac Christophel died Aug. 21, 1885. They were blessed with four children.

1. Alvin Christophel, b. Feb. 4, 1879.
2. Myron Christophel, b. Nov. 18, 1880.
3. Phoebe Christophel, b. March 16, 1882; d. Oct. 15, 1882.
4. Agnes Christophel, b. Aug. 1, 1883.

10. Fourth Generation. 2-1.

Alvin Christophel was married to Catharine Edna Buss Sept. 12, 1906. Their children are:

1. Byron Alvin Christophel, b. July 30, 1907.
2. Catharine Christophel, b. Nov. 1, 1909.
3. Alice Delta Christophel, b. Nov. 2, 1911; d. Nov. 5, 1911.

10. Fourth Generation. 2-4.

Agnes Christophel was married to John W. Shank Aug. 4, 1904. To this union were born five children.

1. Alvin Winfred Shank, b. Feb. 19, 1905.
2. Gladys Marie Shank, b. Sept. 14, 1906.
3. Ray Melvin Shank, b. Nov. 7, 1908.
4. Florence Edna Shank, b. May 6, 1910.
5. Irma May Shank, b. Sept. 22, 1912.

10. Third Generation. 4.

Sarah Yoder was married to Jonas Brubaker Nov. 6, 1873. He was born and grew to manhood in Pennsylvania. Since their marriage they have resided in Elkhart Co., Ind. He has faithfully served the Mennonite Church in the office of deacon for a number of years. P. O. Elkhart, Ind. To them were born four children.

1. Mary Ann Brubaker, b. Feb. 15, 1875; d. March 7, 1875.
2. William Henry Brubaker, b. Apr. 5, 1876.

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3. John Elmer Brubaker, b. Oct. 3, 1878.
4. Bertha Ellen Brubaker, b. May 4, 1889.

10. Fourth Generation. 4-2.

William H. Brubaker was married to Celestia Loucks Dec. 25, 1898. They reside in Elkhart Co., Ind. P. O. Elkhart, Ind. Their children are:

1. Ralph Olan Brubaker, b. Dec. 3, 1900.
2. Treva May Brubaker, b. Nov. 20, 1906.

10. Fourth Generation. 4-3.

John Elmer Brubaker was married to Alice Swan June 12, 1912. They reside in Elkhart, Ind.

10. Fourth Generation. 4-4.

Bertha Ellen Brubaker was married to Harvey Cook March 13, 1909.

1. Willis Raymond Cook, b. Apr. 5, 1910.
- They reside in Elkhart, Ind.

10. Third Generation. 6.

Samantha Yoder was married to Emanuel Hernley Dec. 9, 1875. She died Sept. 10, 1883 and he died March 22, 1902.

10. Third Generation. 10.

M. Saiome Yoder was married to Albert Gongwer March 9, 1889 in Elkhart Co., Ind. They resided in the same county. P. O. Elkhart, Ind. Albert Gongwer died March 8, 1904. Their children are:

1. Morris Elmer Gongwer, b. Sept. 26, 1891.
2. Charles Vernon Gongwer, b. Oct. 13, 1893.
3. Florence Ethel Gongwer, b. Jan. 13, 1896.
4. Walter Byron Gongwer, b. Jan. 11, 1898.
5. Grace Edna Gongwer, b. March 16, 1900.
6. Willis Leroy Gongwer, b. July 28, 1902.

10. Fourth Generation. 10-2.

Chas. V. Gongwer was married to Joy Swarm June 7, 1913.

1. Albert Henry Gongwer, b. Oct. 31, 1914.

10. Fourth Generation. 10-1.

Morris E. Gongwer was married to Olive Stauffer Mar. 13, 1915.

10. Third Generation. 11.

Nancy A. Yoder was married to Cornelius Ehret Feb. 28, 1885. She died May 10, 1899. Six children were born to them. P. O. Elkhart, Ind.

1. Ansel J. Ehret, b. Dec. 9, 1885.
2. Joseph O. Ehret, b. Oct. 3, 1887; d. March 30, 1889.
3. Howard W. Ehret, b. Aug. 27, 1889.
4. John Russell Ehret, b. Feb. 1, 1892.
5. Dwight Y. Ehret, b. Jan. 24, 1894.
6. Ona Marie Ehret, b. Sept. 7, 1895.

10. Fourth Generation. 11-1.

Ansel J. Ehret was married to Anna L. Kriegbaum Apr. —, 1909. Two children were born to them.

1. Yale Winfred Ehret, b. Feb. 3, 1910.
2. Waldo Gladwin Ehret, b. Sept. 27, 1912.

10. Third Generation. 13.

Adam Yoder was married to Mary A. Shutts, daughter of Isaiah and Rebecca Shutts, Nov. 16, 1889. P. O. 943 S. St. N. W. Washington, D. C. They were blessed with two sons.

1. Charles Chester Yoder, b. March 6, 1892.
2. William McKinley Yoder, b. Nov. 10, 1893.

10. Fourth Generation. 13.-1.

Charles C. Yoder was married to Flossa Mishler Feb. 13, 1909.

1. Gladys Wave Yoder, b. Dec. 25, 1909; d. Jan. 2, 1910.
2. Laura Alice Yoder, b. Sept. 8, 1911.

10. Fourth Generation. 13.-2.

William M. Yoder was married to Natalia Lyman-grover Aug. 17, 1914.

JACOB TROXEL FAMILY

II. Second Generation.

Sarah Shaum was married to Jacob C. Troxel Dec. 23, 1855. He was born June 1, 1833. In the year after their marriage they located on the farm in Plain tp., Wayne Co., Ohio, on which he was born. They resided at this place until 1893 at which time they retired from the farm. He had resided here for sixty years. This farm was entered from the government by his father, Peter Troxel, during the administration of James Monroe and is still in possession of the Troxel heirs. Jacob Troxel died at his retired home in Chester tp., Wayne Co., O. July 25, 1908 at the age of 75 years. Sarah Shaum Troxel and daughter Alzina and Son Harvey H. still reside at the old home in Chester tp. P. O. Wooster, Ohio. Eight children were born to them.

1. Mary Catharine Troxel, b. Oct. 21, 1856; d. Feb. 14, 1859.
2. Silas Troxel, b. Mar. 25, 1858.
3. Alzina Troxel, b. Jan. 24, 1860.
4. Melissa Troxel, b. Jan. 4, 1862.
5. David S. Troxel, b. Mar. 2, 1864.
6. William H. Troxel, b. March 14, 1869.
7. Harvey H. Troxel, b. July 25, 1872.
8. Edward M. Troxel, b. July 28, 1877.

III. Third Generation. 2.

Silas Troxel was married to Susan Plasterer, also of Plain tp., Nov. 16, 1882. To this union were born two sons.

1. Clyde Troxel, b. May 20, 1887; d. April 9, 1888.
2. Frederick C. Troxel, b. Aug. 31, 1890.

Susan Troxel wife of Silas Troxel died Aug. 31, 1890. He was married to Mary Troutman of Wooster tp., Wayne Co., O., Feb. 16, 1893. They now reside in Franklin tp., Wayne Co., Ohio.

11. Third Generation. 4.

Melissa Troxel was married to Elmer Sichley of Chester tp., Wayne Co., O., Nov. 20, 1889, in which tp. they now reside. To this union was born one daughter.

1. Odella Florence Sichley, b. Nov. 27, 1890.

11. Fourth Generation. 4-1.

Odella Florence Sichley was married to Luther Firestone of Chester tp., Wayne Co., O., Nov. 20, 1909 in which tp. they now reside. Two sons were born to them.

1. Forest Firestone, b. Oct. 6, 1911; d. Oct. 12, 1911.
2. Miles S. Firestone, b. June 28, 1913.

Miles is the only Great Grandchild living of Sarah Shaum Troxel.

11. Third Generation. 5.

David S. Troxel was married to Ida Brandt of Ashland Co., O., Feb. 3, 1897. They now reside in Elyria, Ohio. Their home was blessed with one daughter.

1. Kathryn Troxel, b. Aug. 23, 1910.

1. Third Generation. 6.

William H. Troxel was married to Laura Myers of Chester tp., Wayne Co., O., Feb. 14, 1901. They now reside in Denver, Colo. To this union was born one daughter.

1. Florence Alzina Troxel, b. April 14, 1902.

11. Third Generation. 8.

Edward M. Troxel was married to Nellie Baker, formerly of Plain tp., Wayne Co., O., at Canton, Ohio, Feb. 14, 1912.

JOSEPH SHAUM FAMILY

13. Second Generation.

Joseph Shaum was married to Elizabeth Gable Nov. 10, 1859 in Wayne Co., Ohio. They went to housekeeping on his father's farm with his brother Michael until the spring of 1876 when they moved to St. Joseph Co., Ind. He later moved to Elkhart Co., Ind., where he resided at the time of his death. Nine children were born to them:

1. Amanda Shaum, b. Sept. 27, 1860.
2. Annetta Shaum, b. Feb. 28, 1863.
3. Lydia Ann Shaum, b. Feb. 9, 1865.
4. William Henry Shaum, b. Oct. 30, 1867; d. May 9, 1910.
5. Isaiah Shaum, b. Feb. 4, 1870.
6. Elizabeth Shaum, b. Dec. 18, 1871; d. Dec. 23, 1896.
7. Emma Shaum, b. Sept. 29, 1874.
8. Harvey Shaum, b. Mar. 16, 1877.
9. Ida Shaum, b. Sept. 19, 1879; d. July 28, 1886.

The mother, Elizabeth Gable Shaum died May 22, 1890. He was married to Barbara Markley, Oct. 8, 1891. To this union was born one child.

10. Mary Shaum, b. Nov. 11, 1892.

13. Third Generation. 1.

Amanda Shaum was married to Henry Weaver, Dec. 25, 1879. He was born in Lancaster Co., Pa. April 20, 1858. Their children were:

1. William Weaver, b. Jan. 18, 1881.
2. Nora Elizabeth Weaver, b. Aug. 4, 1882; d. June 1, 1894.

3. Malon Weaver, b. April 2, 1884.
4. John Weaver, b. Jan. 19, 1886.
5. Henry Weaver, b. Sept. 7, 1887.
6. Emma Weaver, b. May 14, 1889.
7. Ida Annetta Weaver, b. Feb. 7, 1891.
8. Amanda Weaver, b. Jan. 23, 1893; d. Aug. 6, 1895.
9. Harvey Weaver, b. April 7, 1895.
10. Joseph Vernon Weaver, b. Jan. 19, 1897.
11. Lydia Weaver, b. Oct. 11, 1898.
12. Martha Weaver, b. Nov. 3, 1900.
13. Anna Mary Weaver, b. Dec. 11, 1904.

P. O. address is Wakarusa, Ind. They reside on the Grandfather Weaver place in Elkhart Co., Ind. Mennonites.

13. Fourth Generation. 1-1.

William Weaver was married to Anna Margaret Good Dec. 20, 1903 near Wakarusa, Ind. Mennonites. P. O. Goshen, Ind. R. R.

1. Catharine R. Weaver, b. Nov. 3, 1904.
2. Edna A. Weaver, b. Jan. 19, 1908.
3. Cleo F. Weaver, b. Nov. 12, 1911.
4. Grace N. Weaver, b. Nov. 12, 1912.

13. Fourth Generation. 1-3.

Malon Weaver was married to Clara A. Blosser Nov. 24, 1906. P. O. Elkhart, Ind. Their children are:

1. Virgil C. Weaver, b. Nov. 19, 1906.
2. Oscar R. Weaver, b. Oct. 10, 1907.
3. Thelma P. Weaver, b. Mar. 23, 1913.

13. Fourth Generation. 1-4.

John Weaver was married to Minnie Kohli, Dec. 23, 1911. Mennonites. P. O. Wakarusa, Ind. Two children were born to them:

1. Christina Weaver, b. Dec. 4, 1912.
2. Otis Weaver, b. June 28, 1914.

13. Fourth Generation. 1.-5.

Henry Weaver was married to Clauda Tricinger Mar. 3, 1912. P. O. Foraker, Ind.

1. Lucile Fay Weaver, b. April 2, 1915.

13. Fourth Generation. 1.-6.

Emma Weaver was married to Noah Ramer Feb. 14, 1909. P. O. Nappanee, Ind. R. 1.

1. Florence May Ramer, b. Nov. 11, 1909.
2. Henry W. Ramer, b. Sept. 14, 1912.

13. Fourth Generation. 1.-7.

Ida Weaver was married to Daniel Ramer, Nov. 17, 1912. P. O. Nappanee, Ind. R. 1.

1. Mabel Ramer, b. Feb. 6, 1914.

13. Third Generation. 2.

Annetta Shaum was married to Edward Lienhart Mar. 26, 1882. He was born Mar. 9, 1861. P. O. Wakarusa, Ind. Ten children were born to them:

1. Calvin Irving Lienhart, b. Feb. 15, 1883.
2. Lizzie Ursula Lienhart, b. Oct. 29, 1885.
3. Geo. Rosco Lienhart, b. June 4, 1887; d. April 6, 1891.
4. Emma Elnora Lienhart, b. Nov. 8, 1891.
5. Mabel May Lienhart, b. Sept. 5, 1893.
6. Edna Ruth Lienhart, b. Dec. 27, 1895.
7. Dewey Victor Lienhart, b. March 5, 1898.
8. Albert Carl Lienhart, b. Mar. 3, 1900.
9. Goldie Marie Lienhart, b. Dec. 7, 1902.
10. Kermit Maxwell Lienhart, b. Aug. 7, 1908.

13. Fourth Generation. 2.-1.

Calvin I. Lienhart was married to Jessie May Myers, June 25, 1908.

1. Lois Fern Lienhart, b. April 30, 1915.

13. Fourth Generation. 2-2.

Lizzie Ursula Lienhart was married to Vernon Hoke March 9, 1907. To this union were born two children, Thelma and Vincent.

13. Fourth Generation. 2-4.

Emma Elnora Lienhart was married to Gladstone Rheubottom July 14, 1912.

13. Third Generation. 3.

Lydia Ann Shaum was married to Martin Ramer Nov. 9, 1884. P. O. Wakarusa, Ind. Mennonites. He is a minister.

1. Joseph Ramer, b. Aug. 6, 1885.
2. Amanda Ramer, b. Jan. 24, 1887.
3. Tobias Ramer, b. Nov. 20, 1888.
4. William Ramer, b. Sept. 26, 1890.
5. John Ramer, b. Dec. 15, 1892.
6. Lewis Ramer, b. Oct. 22, 1894.
7. Anna Ramer, b. Nov. 25, 1896.
8. Isaiah Ramer, b. May 6, 1899.
9. Martin Ramer, b. Jan. 25, 1902.
10. Edward Ramer, b. Mar. 27, 1905.

13. Fourth Generation. 3-1.

Joseph Ramer was married to Lottie May Weaver Nov. 3, 1906. Mennonites. P. O. Wakarusa, Ind.

1. Edwin Ray Ramer, b. May 25, 1907.
2. Clifford Jay Ramer, b. Jan. 19, 1909.
3. Paul Ramer, b. Oct. 2, 1914.

13. Fourth Generation. 3-2.

Amanda Ramer was married to Elias E. Martin Dec. 20, 1908. Mennonites. Their children are:

1. Florence Martin, b. April 19, 1910.
2. Anna Martin, b. June 11, 1911.
3. William R. Martin, b. June 21, 1913.
4. Martha Martin, b. Dec. 28, 1914.

13. Fourth Generation. 3-3.

Tobias Ramer was married to Salina Lehman Nov. 24, 1914.

13. Third Generation. 4.

William H. Shaum was married to Amanda Bechtel Feb. 18, 1894. He died May 9, 1910. She is married to Oliver Anglemyer. Mennonites.

13. Third Generation. 5.

Isaiah Shaum was married to Lizzie Weaver June 16, 1878. P. O. Nappanee, Ind. Mennonites.

1. Alma Ursala Shaum, b. May 25, 1898.
2. William Henry Shaum, b. Apr. 16, 1900.
3. Lulu Mearle Shaum, b. Feb. 13, 1902.
4. Annetta May Shaum, b. Nov. 24, 1903.
5. Joseph Aaron Shaum, b. Aug. 15, 1905.
6. Barbara Ellen Shaum, b. Jan. 29, 1907.
7. Warren W. Shaum, b. Aug. 16, 1908; d. Nov. 16, 1910.
8. Harvey W. Shaum, b. April 8, 1910.
9. Mary Mable Shaum, b. June 21, 1911; d. Apr. 8, 1915.
10. Carrie Elizabeth Shaum, b. April 12, 1913.
11. Vernon Floyd Shaum, b. June 2, 1915.

13. Third Generation. 6.

Elizabeth Shaum was married to Jacob Bechtel Nov. 27, 1892. She died Dec. 23, 1896. Aged 25 years and 5 days. Two children were born to them.

1. Twin Sons, d. Jan. 26, 1894.
2. William Henry Bechtel, b. Sept. 19, 1895.

13. Third Generation. 7.

Emma Shaum was married to David Weaver Feb. 18, 1894. P. O. Wakarusa, Ind.

1. Mary Elizabeth Weaver, b. Aug. 15, 1895.

2. Ida May Weaver, b. Oct. 9, 1897.
3. Roscoe Weaver, b. June 24, 1899.
4. Nora Weaver, b. Feb. 11, 1901.
5. Clara Weaver, b. Apr. 27, 1903.
6. William Henry Weaver, b. March 29, 1905.
7. Nettie Weaver, b. Feb. 5, 1907.
8. Myrtle Ferne Weaver, b. Mar. 22, 1909.
9. Nina Pearl Weaver, b. Oct. 19, 1911.

13. Fourth Generation. 7-1.

Mary E. Weaver was married to Harvey Detwiler Mar. 11, 1913.

1. Merl Detwiler, b. Nov. 15, 1914.

13. Fourth Generation. 7-2.

Ida May Weaver was married to William Smith Sept. 10, 1914. They have one daughter Gladys.

13. Third Generation. 8.

Harvey Shaum was married to Matilda Weis Oct. 25, 1896. P. O. Brutus, Mich. Mennonites.

1. Mary Shaum, b. Mar. 22, 1897.
2. Milford Shaum, b. Dec. 13, 1898; d. Jan. 30, 1899.
3. Joseph Shaum, b. Dec. 17, 1899.
4. Lawrence Shaum, b. Feb. 6, 1902.
5. Martin Shaum, b. June 1, 1904.
6. John Shaum, b. Feb. 27, 1906.
7. George Shaum, b. Mar. 9, 1908.
8. Barbara Shaum, b. June 15, 1910.
9. Nora Shaum, b. Feb. 27, 1913.

13. Third Generation. 10.

Mary Shaum was married to Joseph E. Martin June 1, 1913.

1. Barbara Martin, b. June 21, 1914.

HENRY RUTT FAMILY

15. Second Generation.

Rebecca Shaum was married to Henry G. Rutt Feb. 13, 1862. He was born Feb. 1, 1837. Died May 26, 1912. Aged 75 years, 3 mo., 25 days. After their marriage they moved to his parents' home, also in Chester tp., Wayne Co., Ohio. They lived there six years then moved on an eighty acre farm of their own near Excelsior school house. They lived at this place twelve years and then moved back to the Rutt homestead. In 1900 they moved on another farm close by, which they had purchased. In 1908 they moved to Smithville, O. While living here Henry took sick with a tumorous cancer from which he died May 26, 1912. After his death the mother came back to live with her daughter Ella on one of the old homesteads where she resides at the present time. She has suffered since that time from a nervous break-down although willing hands have done what they could to make life pleasant for her. Six children were born to them.

1. John Franklin Rutt, b. April 9, 1863.
2. William Henry Rutt, b. June 26, 1864.
3. Mary Ellen Rutt, b. Aug. 4, 1865.
4. Infant Son, b. Sept. 17, 1866; d. Oct. 12, 1866.
5. Charley Rutt, b. Feb. 15, 1868.
6. Harvey Rutt, b. June 10, 1873.

15. Third Generation. 1.

John Franklin Rutt was married to Mrs. Maggie Brandt of Chicago, Ill., April 9, 1912. P. O. 3952 Montrose Ave., Chicago, Ill.

15. Third Generation. 5.

Charley Rutt was married to Laura Dell Troxel Nov. 15, 1899. Three children were born to them. P. O. Wooster, Ohio.

1. Walter Wayne Rutt, b. Jan. 7, 1901; d. Oct. 8, 1902.
2. Grace Belle Rutt, b. June 2, 1902.
3. Welker Carl Rutt, b. Jan. 8, 1909.

15. Third Generation. 6.

Harvey Rutt was married to Maude Veleria Snyder Feb. 15, 1899. One daughter was born to them. P. O. Smithville, Ohio.

1. Beulah Marie Rutt, b. Feb. 23, 1901.

MICHAEL SHAUM FAMILY

16. Second Generation.

Michael Shaum was married to Elizabeth Martin July 4, 1863. They were not blessed with any children but Aunt Lizzie mothered others. The first was Joseph Leatherman whose mother died. The second was Sarah Darcas who in time was married to Henry Holdeman. The third Gertie Fultz who is now married and lives in Wooster, Ohio. She also cared for John O. Dintaman when a babe until his sisters could care for him. Others have also found special care from her motherly traits. Michael is a deacon in the church of which his father had been a minister and bishop for many years. They purchased a home adjoining the Grandfather place where they now reside. P. O. Wooster, Ohio.





